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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicant submits attached Form PTO-SB/08B (modified) for consideration and request the documents cited therein be made of record by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application.

Consideration of the foregoing plus the prompt return of a copy of the enclosed Form SB/08B with the Examiner's initials in the left column in accordance with MPEP § 609 are respectfully requested.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the first Office Action on the merits, but (i) before the mailing date of a final Office Action for the above-identified patent application; or ii) before the mailing date of a Notice of Allowance for the above-identified patent application. Accordingly, please charge the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206 for this Information Disclosure Statement in the amount of \$180.00 which is being submitted pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17(p) and 1.97(c).

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Respectfully submitted,

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